

**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY**

**SECOND SET OF INFORMATION REQUESTS TO
KEYSPAN ENERGY DELIVERY NEW ENGLAND**

D.T.E. 05-54

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Information Request DTE 2-2

- Q. Refer to Attachment 1a, page 1 of 3, in the 2005 Compliance Filing and explain how the Company calculated the reported therm savings. Also, provide all supporting calculations and documentation.
- A. The column labeled "Participation/Savings" represents the actual number of therms (lifetime therms) saved per unit for each program. This calculation is determined by the energy efficiency measure, (for example, one residential high-efficiency heating system multiplied by one year's therms savings) multiplied by the number of actual participants in the particular program. The residential high-efficiency equipment was determined to have a yearly therms savings of 165.2 and the actual participation was 7,844. Therefore the actual therms saved for the Residential High Efficiency Heating program is 1,295,829 therms. The therms saving per unit was determined by GDS Associates, Inc., an outside consultant that performs program evaluation for the Company. Attachment 2-2 is the Master Input Assumptions report that GDS Associates provides to the Company annually.